

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO**

In re:

THE FINANCIAL OVERSIGHT AND  
MANAGEMENT BOARD FOR  
PUERTO RICO, as representative of

THE COMMONWEALTH OF  
PUERTO RICO, *et al.*

Debtors,

PROMESA

Title III

No. 17-BK-3283 (LTS)

(Jointly Administered)

In re:

THE FINANCIAL OVERSIGHT AND  
MANAGEMENT BOARD FOR  
PUERTO RICO, as a representative of

PUERTO RICO ELECTRIC POWER  
AUTHORITY,

Debtor.

PROMESA

Title III

No. 17-BK-4780 (LTS)

**MOTION FOR ADMISSION  
PRO HAC VICE OF WILLIAM W. KANNEL**

COMES NOW William W. Kannel, applicant herein, according to Local Civil Rule 83A(f), which applies to this proceeding pursuant to Local Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 2090-1(c), which in turn applies to this proceeding in accordance with Federal Bankruptcy Rule 9029, pursuant to §3010 of the Puerto Rico Oversight, Management and Economic Stability Act and respectfully states:

Applicant is an attorney at the law firm of Mintz, Levin, Cohn, Ferris, Glovsky and Popeo, P.C., with offices at:

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2. Applicant will sign all pleadings with the name William W. Kannel.

3. Applicant has been retained as a member of the above-named firm by AHIMSA FOUNDATION (“Ahimsa”), a non-profit foundation and creditor and party-in-interest, to provide legal representation in connection with the above-styled matters now pending before the United States District Court for the District of Puerto Rico.

4. Since 1985 applicant has been and presently is a member in good standing of the bar of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, where applicant regularly practices law. Applicant's Commonwealth of Massachusetts bar license number is 546724.

5. Applicant has been admitted to practice before the following courts:

| Court  | Date of Admission |
|--|-------------------|
| Commonwealth of Massachusetts                                  | December 1, 1985  |
| United States Court of Appeals for the First Circuit           | January 1, 1986   |
| United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit          | November 1, 2007  |
| United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit         | December 20, 2004 |
| United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts | December 1, 1985  |
| United States Supreme Court                                    | September 1, 1992 |

6. Applicant is not currently suspended from the practice of law before any court or jurisdiction.

7. Applicant is not currently the subject of any complaint for unethical conduct, disciplinary proceeding or criminal charges before any court or jurisdiction.

8. Local counsel of record associated with applicant in this matter is:

Elaine M. Maldonado-Matías  
USDC-PR Bar No. 217309  
Walter P. Lebrón-Ramírez  
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WHEREFORE, applicant respectfully requests to be admitted to practice in the United States District Court for the District of Puerto Rico for the above-styled cases only.

Dated: February 23, 2023.

Respectfully submitted,

**MINTZ, LEVIN, COHN, FERRIS,  
GLOVSKY AND POPEO, P.C.**

*/s/ William W. Kannel*  
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Counsel for *Ahimsa Foundation*

I HEREBY CERTIFY, pursuant to Local Civil Rule 83A(f), that I consent to the

designation of local counsel of record for all purposes.

Date: February 23, 2023.

Respectfully submitted.

**SEPULVADO, MALDONADO & COURET**

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